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LETTER ACCOMPANYING PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE
REGARDING INVENTOR'S CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Sir:

Entry of the following information regarding the inventor's change of address is respectfully requested.

The city and state of three of the joint inventors, Toshiaki Mase, Hiroki Sato, and Kenichi Asakawa, has changed since the time of the filing of the instant application.

Toshiaki Mase's current city and state is Ibaraki, Japan.

Hiroki Sato's current city and state is Tokyo, Japan.

Kenichi Asakawa's current city and state is Ibaraki, Japan.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on the date appearing below.

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REMARKS

The inventors' address with regard to current city and state is being provided at this time to update the information since the time of filing of the instant application. This letter is being concurrently filed with the payment of the issue and publication fees for the instant application which are due April 8, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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